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## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated May 22, 2006, Applicant submits herewith the following for entry in the above-identified U.S. patent application:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper and include an attached Replacement Sheet following page 11 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.